

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Applicants: R.B. Hutchison et al. Attorney Docket No.: ECHG121698  
Application No.: 10/671320 Art Unit: 3694 / Confirmation No.: 5656  
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Title: METHOD AND APPARATUS FOR ORDERING GOODS,  
SERVICES AND CONTENT OVER AN INTERNETWORK  
USING A VIRTUAL PAYMENT ACCOUNT

COMMUNICATION

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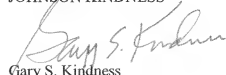
TO THE COMMISSIONER FOR PATENTS:

Applicants note with appreciation the allowance of the above-identified application.

During a review of the file, it was noted that the Notice of References Cited that accompanied the Notice of Allowance did not identify citations O1-O9, which were lined through in an attachment to the February 7, 2008, Office Action, even though copies of these references were submitted on March 13, 2009, in response to a Request for Information. (They were originally filed in parent Application No. 09/370,949). As a result, applicants request a formal acknowledgement of the receipt and review of these documents. In order to assist the Examiner, attached is an IDS that identifies these documents. Since, as noted above, copies were previously submitted, they are not enclosed with this communication.

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